Presentations from the Tenth Annual Great Divide Weather Workshop Billings, Montana - October 3-5, 2006

Tuesday, October 3

State of the National Weather Service

BGEN D.L. Johnson – Director, NOAA's National Weather Service

NOAA's National Weather Service and the Kampgrounds of America: A Partnership for Public Safety

Scott Carpenter, Tom Frieders, Jim Maczko and Matt Solum - WFO Billings, MT

<u>Weather and Society Integrated Studies: Changing the Culture of Meteorology to Embrace Societal Impacts – Moving from What WAS to What IS</u>

Dr. Eve Gruntfest - University of Colorado - Colorado Springs, CO

A Vision for Outreach in the National Weather Service

Mike Cantin - WFO Pocatello, ID

Weather & Society: Using Climate Data for Disaster Preparedness and Public Education

Pamela Shrauger – Big Sky Hazard Management LLC – Bozeman, MT

Back to the Future with Lewis and Clark

John Pulasky – Our Montana Inc. – Billings, MT

Wednesday, October 4

<u>Space Weather: Challenges and Opportunities</u> (videos available from NWS Billings upon request) **Dr. Thomas Bogdan -** *NOAA's Space Environment Center – Boulder, CO*

StormLog and Associated Google Earth Applications at WFO Billings

Dan Borsum, Don Moore and Matt Solum – WFO Billings, MT

The Storm Prediction Center Fire Weather Program and Recent Fire Events across the Northern Rockies and Northern High Plains

Jared Guyer - NOAA's Storm Prediction Center - Norman, OK

The IMET Experience and Application at the WFO

Dan Borsum - WFO Billings, MT, Jennifer Zeltwanger - WFO Glasgow, MT

Forecasting High Wind Events in Grangeville, Idaho

Michael S. Johnson – WFO Missoula, MT

A Review of the Weather Pattern in Montana for the 2005-2006 Cool Season and the Correlations to Tropical Convection

Don Moore – WFO Billings, MT, Eugene Petrescu – WFO Missoula, MT

Wednesday, October 4 - Continued

How Do Tropical Systems near the East Asian Coast Impact Montana Weather?

Don Moore – WFO Billings, MT, Eugene Petrescu – WFO Missoula, MT

New Gridded MOS Precipitation Products: Making the Transition from Station-Based Guidance to a True High-Resolution Forecast

Mark Antolik - NOAA's Meteorological Development Laboratory - Silver Spring, MD

Post-Processing MOS Using a Moving Average Approach

Don Britton – WFO Great Falls, MT

Studying the Effectiveness of the WRF NWP Model in Forecasting Events in Western Montana

Anna Klene and Don Morton – University of Montana – Missoula, MT

Eugene Petrescu – WFO Missoula, MT

The HPC Winter Weather and Model Diagnostics Desks

Richard Bann - NOAA's Hydrometeorological Prediction Center - Camp Springs, MD

Utilization of Climatological POPs to Enhance the Extended Forecast Process

Joe Lester and Brian Tesar – WFO Billings, MT

Western Region Climotological PoP Grids for GFE

Bill Rasch – WFO Billings, MT

Thursday, October 5

The Changing World of Aviation Weather Information and Its Use

Jack May - NOAA's Aviation Weather Center - Kansas City, MO

Weather Systems and Their Effects on the 341 Space Wing Complex at Malmstrom Air Force Base, MT

Lt. Brian H. Yates - Malmstrom Air Force Base - Great Falls, MT

Severe Weather Warning Decision Making Research and Development Improvements

(videos available from NWS Billings upon request)

Gregory J. Stumpf - NOAA's National Severe Storms Laboratory - Norman, OK

The Community Collaborative Rain, Hail and Snow Network (CoCoRaHS)

Nolan J. Doesken, Henry W. Reges, Julian Turner - Colorado State University - Fort Collins, CO

An Observational Analysis of a Severe Damaging Wind Event

Jon Chamberlain - WFO Bismarck, ND

October 4-5, 2005 Snow Event in Billings, MT

(Entire Presentation available from NWS Billings upon request)

Scott Carpenter, Don Moore, Matt Solum, and Liz Stoppkotte - WFO Billings, MT